AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

(currently amended) A multi-layer security product, comprising:
an extrusion defined by a printable carrier material (1) firmly joined to at least one plastic coating;

said at least one plastic coating being firmly which is extruded onto the carrier material to form a thin-gauged combination of layers and containing which contains laser-active pigments that are doped to permit printing personalization by a laser such that said pigments become colored after laser exposure; and

at least one covering film (17, 18), laminated onto the carrier material.

- 2. (currently amended) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, wherein the laser-active pigments ean-be are excited substantially by laser radiation of a specific wavelength.
- 3. (original) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, wherein the carrier material is comprised of paper or plastic.
- 4. (original) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, further comprising security features, such as watermarks and/or mottled fibers on the carrier material.
- 5. (original) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, wherein the covering film contains laser-active pigments.
- 6. (original) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, wherein the plastic coating has embossing.
- 7. (currently amended) The multi-layer security product of claim 1, wherein the plastic coating is printed imprinted after extrusion onto the carrier material.
- 8. (withdrawn) A process for the production of multi-layer security products said process comprising the steps of:

providing a printable carrier material as a rolled material; a

extruding at least one plastic coating which contains laser-active pigments onto the carrier material; and

subsequently leading together highly accurately the carrier material with the plastic coating and (b) the covering film (17, 18).



- 9. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, wherein the carrier material with the plastic coating is rolled material and further providing the step of unwinding the rolled material after lamination.
- 10. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, further providing the step of stamping out individual blanks after the lamination with the covering film.
- 11. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, further providing the step of printing the carrier material in a single-stage or multi-stage process before the coating of the carrier material with the plastic coating
- 12. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, further providing the step of printing and/or embossing the plastic coating before the carrier material with the plastic coating is led together with the covering film and laminated.
- 13. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, wherein the carrier material comprises paper or plastic.
- 14. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, wherein the carrier material is equipped with security features, such as watermarks and/or mottled fibers.
- 15. (withdrawn) The process of claim 8, wherein the covering film contains laser-active pigments.
- 16. (withdrawn) The process of claims 8, wherein security features are produced in the plastic coating and/or the covering film by activating the laser-active pigments with laser radiation of specific wavelength matched to the laser-active pigment used.
- 17. (withdrawn) The process of claim 16, wherein the security features produced by laser cannot at least to some extent, be personalized.
- 18. (withdrawn) The process of claim 16, wherein the production of security features by laser in the plastic coating is carried out after the application of the plastic coating by extrusion and/or after the lamination of the at least one covering film.

